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	RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MI	SSING REQUIREMENTS	
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Sir:			
	In response to the Notification of Missing	Requirements dated August 31, 2005,	
Appl	icant respectfully submits:		
$\boxtimes$	Attached is a copy of the Notification of Missing	Requirements (371 Formalities Letter).	
$\boxtimes$	Attached is the Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney   Original   Photocopy.		
	The specification attached to the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is a true copy of the specification that was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office or February 25, 2005, including any amendments thereto (if applicable) filed on even date therewith.		
$\boxtimes$	The undersigned hereby declares that "Attorney I of the attached Inventors' Declaration corres February 25, 2005 entitled "REDUCTION GE SYSTEM."	ponds to Appl. No.10/526,015 filed	

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Attached hereto is the fee transmittal listing the required fees.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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